

**Please add the following new claims:**

15. (New) A liquid-crystal display device according to claim 1, further including no light-guiding plate.

16. (New) A liquid-crystal display device according to claim 1, wherein said optical path changing sheet has a thickness that is less than 300 $\mu$ m.

17. (New) A liquid-crystal display device according to claim 1, wherein said optical path changing sheet has a thickness that is between about 5 $\mu$ m and about 200 $\mu$ m.

18. (New) A liquid-crystal display device according to claim 1, wherein said optical path changing sheet has a thickness that is between about 10 $\mu$ m and about 100 $\mu$ m.